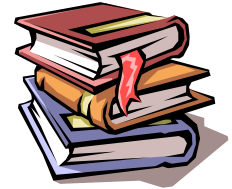




"Take Your Child to Work Day" Book List



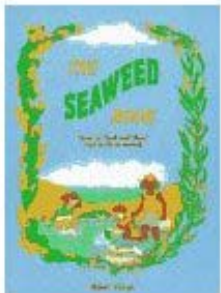
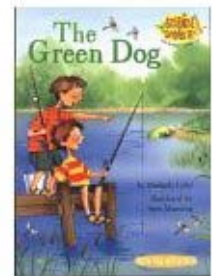
Here are some books about **ALGAE** that you may want to read. You can borrow these from your local public libraries, or purchase from bookstores.



The Green Dog (Science Solves It!) by Melinda Luke and Jane K. Manning

Reading level: Ages 5-8

While pet-sitting, Teddy uses science to solve the mystery of why the dog is green when he comes out of the pond after swimming.



Seaweed Book: How To Find and Have Fun with Seaweed by Rose Treat, Laura Ford, James Sherrington, and Randy Duchaine

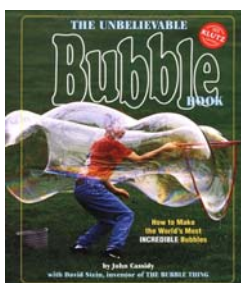
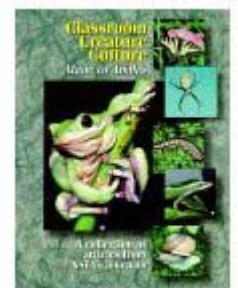
Reading level: Ages 9-12

This book is an introduction to the amazing world of seaweed. It describes different types of seaweeds, how to collect and preserve them, and several ways to use them in cooking and crafting.

Classroom Creature Culture: Algae to Anoles by Carol Hampton, Carolyn Hampton, and David Kramer

Reading level: Ages 9-12

This anthology of articles from the National Science Teachers Association magazine *Science and Children* provides basic information on collecting, investigating, and caring for plants and animals, including algae.



What's Inside Lakes? by Jane Kelly Kosek

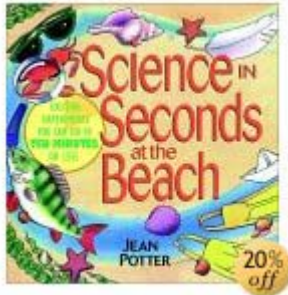
Reading level: Ages 5-8

This book explains how different types of lakes are formed, who the creatures are who live in those lakes, and how they survive. The creatures that are discussed include fish, snails, algae, and otters.

Wild Flamingos by Bruce McMillan

Reading level: Ages 9-12

In this beautiful photoessay, the author explores the lives of Greater Flamingos, magnificent birds that inhabit the Caribbean island of Bonaire. The book explains many facts about flamingos, including how they get their brilliant pink coloring.



Science in Seconds at the Beach: Exciting Experiments You Can Do in Ten Minutes or Less by Jean Potter

Reading level: Ages 9-12

Surf's up for fantastic science fun with these quick and easy experiments. Almost 100 activities will help you investigate the many mysteries of the ocean. It would make a great book to take along on your beach vacation!

The Magic School Bus on the Ocean Floor by Joanna Cole and Bruce Degan

Reading Level: Ages 5-8

Take a ride on a magic school bus with a class of students who are studying the ocean. Learn about barnacles, limpets, sponges, kelp, tubeworms, plankton, even tuna and whales. And, you can learn how algae help coral!



Sea Otter Inlet by Celia Godkin

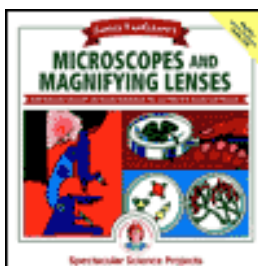
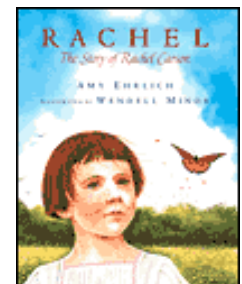
Reading Level: Ages 5-8

What happens to kelp plants when the sea otters disappear? Learn the importance of a balanced ecosystem in this entertaining and interesting book with beautiful full-color drawings.

Rachel: the Story of Rachel Carson by Amy Ehrlich

Reading Level: Ages 5-8

Rachel Carson was a very important biologist who loved being outdoors in nature. This book tells the story of her life and how she helped people to understand the importance of taking care of the environment.



Janice VanCleave's Microscopes and Magnifying Lenses: Mind-Boggling Chemistry and Biology Experiments You Can Turn Into Science Fair Projects by Janice VanCleave

Reading Level: Ages 9-12

The title of this book says it all! Have fun!